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Iowans gather for 'Great Places'

DES MOINES – The stage will be set for creativity, bold thought, innovation and entrepreneurship at 10 forums across the state this spring about Iowa Great Places, an initiative announced by Governor Tom Vilsack earlier this year.

“These forums will be a wonderful opportunity for Iowans to learn more about Great Places and share their visions for Great Places in Iowa,” said Anita Walker, director of the Iowa Department of Cultural Affairs.

Forum dates and locations are as follows:

- June 1 – CSPA, 1103 Third Street SE, Cedar Rapids, 4-6 p.m.
- June 2 – State Historical Building Auditorium, 600 East Locust Street, Des Moines, 4-6 p.m.
- June 9 – Martin Ballroom, 410 Pierce Street, Sioux City, 4-6 p.m.

The forums are free and open to the public, and refreshments will be served. For more information, visit www.iowagreatplaces.gov or call (515) 281-8824.